Bryan's Presidential Boom Is Only Stable Feature of Situation.

PROPHECY OF OYSTER BAY

President Roosevelt Again Has Politicians Sorely Puzzled. His Letter.

By Sheldon Cline.

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WASHINGTON, August 25.—The past week has been one of bewildering, kaleidoscopic changes on the stage of national politicis. Opinions expressed and predictions made a week ago are not worth a farthing to-day. Seven days hence this week's opinions may have no higher value, though it would seem that some semblance of order is coming out of the chaos that has prevailed.

About the only stable feature of the situation has been Mr. Bryan's presidential boom. The passing of the week has served only to strongthen it, until now his nomination seems as assured as anything in politics possibly can be assured two years in advance of its consummation. Several weeks ago, in this correspondence, the opinion was ventured that Mr. Bryan's row with National Committeeman Sultivan, of Illinois, would not make the difference of one vote, either way, in the next Democratic National Convention. This week's convention of the Illinois Democracy settled definitely that it will not. The Illinois democracy stands by Bullivan and piedges Itself to Bryan. Bryan may not exactly like ff. Sullivan probably does not wholly relish it, but the march of events was too strong for either of them.

Mr. Bryan is on the high seas, homeward bound, and the democracy is falling over itself in its efforts to acclaim him. Bverywhere the name of Bryan is received with enthusiastic shoutings. Nowhere, at least not in any place that really counts, is there a note of discord. Certainly Mr. Bryan has no cause to complain of the hand that fortune has this year dealt him. He has taken his place beside Theodore Rossevelt on equal terms as one of the two foremost citizens of the land. The pinnacle is a dizzy one, and Mr. Bryan's friends hope he will be as wise—or as lucky—as has been Mr. Rossevelt in holding on.

"You, Mr. Speaker, will be the next

"You, Mr. Speaker, will be the next President of the United States."—Theodore Roosevelt.
This, which might be termed the pro-

phecy of Oyster Bay, will be huried at you a great many times and in a great many forms from now on. It will adorn fead walls: it will be emblazoned on buttons bearing the portrait of Hon. Joseph O. Cannon, of Illinois; pro-Cannon newspapers will place it at the head of their editorial columns; it will appear to the form of transacronics at the pay.

non newspapers will place it at the head of their editorial columins; it will appear in the form of transparencies at the next Republican National Convention.

For, be it known, the Cannon presidential boom is full-fledged; a lusty, healthy, growing boom, that is making other aspirants for the Presidency sit up and take notice. And, it would seem, the tender plant was nourished by the hand of Roosevelt.

What of Tatt? Mr. Roosevelt's War Secretary was supposed to be the presidential choice for the presidential succession. Has he been relegated out of the Roosevelt plans? Has the President decided Tatt is not the man who can defeat Bryan in 1903? Or has Tatt concluded that he would prefer the certainty of a seat on the Supreme Bench to the presidential canvass? These are some of the questions politicians are asking them-

many times, but he never had them up quite so tall a tree as at present.

"It's no use trying to understand the man," said a Western Senator who, was here this week, and who is popularly supposed to be committed to the Fairbanks presidential cause, "Some little while ago Mr. Roosevelt gave solemn assurance that neither by act nor deed would he attempt in any way to influence the Republican party in the naming of his successor, and now he comes forward with what is tantamount to an endorsement of the candidacy of one of the rival aspirants. Don't you find it hard," asked the Western Senator, with a sudden dropping of the barrlers, "to get away from the notion that the President is playing both ends against the

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It contains Six Candy Tablets of pleasant laste, almost as pleasant as Chocolate.

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Salts, Sodium, Calomel, Jalap, Senna, nor Aperient Waters.

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The World's Favorite Emollient for rashes, blemishes, eczemas, Itchings, irritations, and sca-lings. For red, rough, and greasy complexions, for sore, itching, burning hands and feet, for baby rashes, itchings, and chafings, as well as for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery, Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, is priceless.

middle to serve certain purposes of his own which have to do with 1908?" This little speech fairly represents the state of mind that prevails in the Fair-

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Enamel Box—

When carried in your vest pocket
It means Health-insurance.

It contains Six Candy Tablets of pleasant
s, almost as pleasant as Chocolate.

Sach tablet is a working dose of Castingth acts like Exercise on the length of preaching to the length of preaching the length of length o aste, almost as pleasant as Chocolate.

Each tablet is a working dose of Castracts, which acts like Exercise on the Sowels and Liver.

It will not purge, sicken, nor upset the stomach.

Because it is not a "Bile-driver," like to do something along that line, Democrate the stomach.

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They slimulate the Bowel Muscles to contract, expand, and squeeze the Digestive Juices out of food eaten.

They don't help the Bowels and Liver in such a way as to make them lean upon similar assistance for the future.

This is why, with Cascarets, the dose may be lessened each succeeding time instead of increased, as it must be with all other Cathartics and Laxalives.

Cascarets and Laxalives.

Cascarets and like exercise.

If carried in your vest pocket, (or carried in My Lady's Purse.) and calen just when your suspect you need one, you will never know a sick day from the ordinary life of life.

Because these libs begin in the Bowels, and pays the way for all other diseases.

"Yest-Pocket" box 10 conts.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Perry Unanimously Chosen for Head of Seventieth Regiment.

FOUR BALLOTS WERE TAKEN

Captain Skipwith Makes Close Run-Lieutenant Craighill Succeeds Colonel Perry.

The balloting yesterday morning in the Seventh Street Armory for a successor to Colonel George Wayne Anderson, of the Seventieth Virginia Regiment, resigned, resulted in the unanimous election, after the tourth ballot, of Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Perry, of Staunton. The contest was very close, Captain George N. Skipwith, of this city, giving Lieutenant Perry a run of 16 to 17 on the

Lieutenant Perry a run of 16 to 17 on the first ballot. The first ballot was cast and counted, and the vote stood 17 to 16 in favor of Colonel Perry. Not having obtained a majority of the votes cast, a recount had to be made, and the vote stood the same on the second ballot. The same results were obtained on the third ballot. On the fourth ballot some one went over to Colonel Perry, and he was declared elected.

Was Made Unanimous. The vote was then ordered to be mad



Successor to Colonel George Wayne Auderson.

unantmous. The voters took a recess of thirty minutes, from 11:15 to 11:45, and then reconvened for the election of a successor to Lieutenant-Colonel Perry. Thirty-three of the thirty-five commissioned officers were present. Those absent from the meeting were First Lieutenant Thomas Larkin, of Fredericks-unre. First Lieutenant Robert of Alexaure. First Lieutenant Robert of Alexaure. First Lieutenant Robert of Alexaure. burg; First Lieutenant Robey, of Alexandria, and Lieutenant Powell, of Dan ville, the latter of whom has not yet beer

commissioned. The meeting was called to order by Adjutant-General Anderson, who made a short address of welcome and explained the reason of the meeting. Immediately after, the election of a successor to Colonel Anderson was gone into. There were only two candidates for the position—Lieutenant-Colonel Perry, of Staunton, and Captain George N. Skipwith, of this city.

Company G—Captain P. J. Murphy and Lieutenant Waltor W. Demaine. Lieu-tenant S. S. Robey could not be present. Company H—Captain Charles E. John-son and Lieutenants Henry R. Luffsey and E. W. Touncy. Company I—Captain H. H. Hunt and Lieutenants Vernen D. Venable and F. W. Hubbard. Company K—Captain H. C. Braxton and Lieutenants E. V. Peace and Charles

Company L.—Captain M. B. Rowe and Lieutenants A. G. Billingsloy, First Lieu-tenants Thomas M. Larkin was unable to be present.
Company M-Captain R. B. Davis and
Lieutenant Howard W. Raines, Lieutenant

W. D. Powell has not yet been commis-sloned and has no vote.

Career of Colonel Perry.

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Colonel Perry has a long military record behind him. He first entered the military service as a member of Company K, of the Second Virginia Infantry. In April, 1887. He rose rapidly, and passed through all the grades from corporate first lleutenant in quick succession. Later he was a second lieutenant in the Second Infantry of the United States Volunteers during the Spanish-American War. In October, 1800, he was elected naior of the Third Battallon, Tenth Infinitry. In February, 1901, he was elected lieutenant-colonel of the Seventieth Virginia.

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The naws of his election was telegraphed to Colonel Perry, and he telegraphed back his acceptance of the position of honor.

Elect Lieutenant-Colonel. After the election of Coloney Perry the officers went into executive session for the purpose of electing a successor to

12 1-2c Flannel, new fall styles, to close out, 7c a yard.

Julius Sycle's Sons.

The Last Call on Summer Merchandise.

one-half prices. \$9.00 All-Wool Blankets, full size, to close out, \$5.00.

We are standing loss because all must go. White Parasols just

Ready-to-Wear Department.

Bolero Jackets, sold for \$3,00, hand-somely trimmed; now \$1.50. You will want them for cool evenings.

Linen Finish Box Coats, Pony Coats, Tight-Fitting and Eton Coats, \$1.50 to \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25. This is just one-third of the original value.

We are the only house in the city selling Separate White Coats.

Plenty of White Linen Finish Skirts, 98c to \$2.69.
White Eton Jackets of excellent quality linen finish suiting; several desirable styles; values range up to \$3.50; your pick white they last at 75c.

Mahair Shid Warts Court

while they last at 750.

Mohair Shirt-Waist Suits, in blue, black and brown, handsome models; for a brisk selling these \$10.00 values are to go at hair price; per suit, \$8.00.

Box Costs, white linen finish material, this season's choicest models, self-straps and self-buttons—hair prices:

\$4.50 values to go at\$2.25.

\$3.19 values to go at\$1.60. \$3.00 values to go at......\$1.50. \$2.50 White Linené Boleros reduced to just haif price, \$1.25.

One dozen Pirid Mercerized Petticoats, \$2.50 sellers; to close out at 50c. \$4.50 white Bilk' Bhirt Walsts, handsome and stylish, reduced to \$2.93, \$1.25 Long Lawn Kimonos, effective patterns, with white band; choice at the reduced price, 75c.

Summer White Goods.

Prices you can't afford to miss. 16 2-20 White Goods, plain checks and tripes, to go at 11c.

stripes, Oxfords, 15c.
50c White Goods, Plain, Figured Or-gandies, Mulls of all descriptions, to go at 35c a yard.
59c White Goods, Plain, Dotted Swisses, Organdies, Mulls of all descriptions, 19c.

50c White Figured Muslins, plenty of designs for early choosing; to close out, per yard, 25c.

35c White Organization, excellent qual-

sse white Organicas, extent quis-itles, at almost half price, 19c.

39c White Batiste, 48 inches wide, and an unequaled bargain in white dress fab-rics, at 35c.

50c quality White Wash Chiffon, to close out, at 35c.

out, at 250.

39c quality White Wash Chiffon, reduced for clearance, 25c.

White Lines Lawn, that had never fore been sold for 15c.

50c quality of Soft Finish Waist Linen, reduced price, 31c.
75c Handkerchief Linen, fine, sheet quality; to close out, 50c.

Soft Finish Nainsook, ten-yard plot the kind we've been selling for \$3 25c Black Persian Lawn, reduced to 15c

per yard. 25c Fast Black India Linon, a good bargain at such a low price, 15c. 12½c Tarlatan, in all colors; sale price until all gone, 10½c.

The Last of Linings.

The stock is still in prime condition, so we advise you to buy now for later needs, as the prices will never be so low. These are just a few picked items.

Percalines, in all wanted colors, reduced to 50 per yard. duced to 50 per yard.

Short lengths of Lining Cambric, all wanted colors, in various desirable lengths, at 250 per yard.

Dressmakers' Cambric, in all light shades, full pieces that must be deared, 3%0 per yard.

Great Carpet Bargains.

If you do not need them now, it would ay you to lay them halde.

All Wool Ingrains, patterns like 50c Ingrain Carpets, beautiful lot of patterns, to so at 39c a yard.

Window Shades.

500 Window Shades, complete, 586, 250 Curtain Poles, with brass ends, 170,

Notions at Small Prices.

10c Corset Stays, Sc. DeLong Hooks and Eyes, 6c. Dexter Knitting Cotton, Sc. Zephyr, all colors, 8c. Brass-Head Tacks, 20 a box. Sweetheart Soap, Sc a cake. Velvet Skirt Binding, 1c a yard 10c box Writing Paper and Envelopes,

Warren's Quill Bone, all colors, 10c s

25c package Rule Writing Paper, 144 Warren's Feather Bone, all colors silk, 100 Kid Curlers, 2c dozen.

5c White Tape, 2c per row. Dragon Spool Cotton, 2d a spool, 5c package Hair Pins, 2c. Pearl Laster, 4-skein, 10c, Embroldery Bilk, all colors, 5c a doses.

The Last of the Silks

To Peau de Cygne, in light blue, lav-ender, Nile green and other wanted col-ors; reduced to less than half price, 36c. All 750 Taffetas, extra heavy quality, a all leading colors; riddance price, per

\$1 Fancy Colored Summer Silks, for hirtwaist suits; deeply reduced price, 550. 45c grade Wash Silks, a great bargain;

450 grade Wash Bilks, a great bargain; per yard, 25c.

\$1. Crepe de Chines, colors include green, pink, tan, blue, brown, red, etc., hurrying out price, 55c.

28c grade Chiffon and Mousseline, all the desirable colors; reduced to, per yard, 39c.

\$2 quality Satin Duchess, extra heavy and fine, to close out at half price; per yard, \$1.

Sensational Dress Goods Prices

Our entire stock to move outand these prices will make them go quick:

Read's Lansdowne, in all the leading pastel shades, blue, tan, brown, green, pink, etc., the standard quality; sold in every other store in Elchmond for \$1.25, here only 95c.

German Finish Henrietta, regular \$1.25 quality, in white, tan, amethyst, green, blue, etc.; riddance price, 89c. \$1.80 quality Cream Volles, to close out, per yard, \$1.25.

per yard, \$1.25. Cream Mohairs in great demand just now; instead of paying \$1.25, the usual

price, we make it 75c. \$1.69 Chiffon Velvets, in all the popular colors; to clear out, per yard, 95c. \$1.39 Gray Panamas, in light and dark shades, 50 inches wide, now repriced;

shades, 50 inches wide, now repriced; per yard, 80c. 45-inch Cream Berge, that we've been selling formerly for \$1.45, now, to close

Plain and Fancy Mohairs, in strikingly effective pinids, stripes and figures, in choice colors; instead of 75c, price drops 50c quality Velvets, in just the colors you will want, now at 55c.

Lace Bargains

Special lot of Laces, worth up to 45c—Yack, Cluny, Appliques, Medallions, etc., also Colored Laces for fancy work, Black Laces, etc., widths up to 10 inches; your choice from this lot at 14c.

choice from this for at 140.

31.50 Lace Yokings, exquisite patterns, in white and cream, to close out at half price; per yard, 75c.

Black La. Tosca Net, former selling price was \$1.50; sale price now, \$1.

Big Embroidery Bargains

Lot 1-Embroideries, sold so and 10c yard; price, 50.

Lot 3-Embroideries, sold Me, and 17c yard; price, 80.

Embroideries, sold 19c and 22c

Lot 4—Embroideries, sold 25c and 30c yard, price, 14c. Lot 8-Embroideries, sold 350 and 400 yard; price, 30d.

Wash Dress Goods at Unheard-of Prices

Best 15c quality Russian Duck, navy blue and black; also same color, with white stripes, 8c. Sarpentine Crepe Cloth, sells everywhere 7c yard, now 3c.

170 Brown Linen, 10c. 170 Galates, Cloth, 11 1-20.

Best 12 1-20 Percales, dark and light,

Big Values in Mattings.

80c Best China Matting, 19c a yard. 25c China Matting, 17c a yard. 17c Matting, 10c a yard.

Boys' Knee Pants, 50c quality, all sizes

Art Department

Zephyrs, in all colors; reduced price until soid out, 3c.

Germantown, any color you want; to

Crawford's Linen Floss, all colors, three!

keins for 5d.

Pearl Lustre, to close out, four for 10c.

D. M. C. Working Cotton, bale price,
per dozen, 15c.

Utopia Pearl Thread, in desirable col-

50 Linen Bobbins, white only, reduced

Ice Wool, all colors; to close out, at so

Red Carnation Braid, to close out, 144 nunch, 10c. White Carnation Braid, closing out

Jewel Beads, various sixes, all colors; reduced to, per dozen, so, 65 and 76. 12 1-2c Silk Fringe, in all colors, reduced to, per yard, 8c.

Slik Tassels, an colors, reduced to, per

Linen Thread for fancy work, all numbers, from 50 to 900, at just half marked

prices. 18 1-20 Silk Cord, in all colors, for sushions especially, reduced to, per yard,

Pillow Tops, ready made and semi-

made, scores of new and novel effects, values up to \$1; your choice from the lot at 39d.

several patterns, 3c.
150 Hemstitched and Drawn White Linen Mats reduced to 10c.

\$1.50 Hemstitched Drawn Lunch Cloth

\$1 Hemstitched Linen Scarfs, size 18175, to close out at 60c.

so close out at 690.

96-inch Linen for shirtwaist, excellent value for the money, 190.

21-20 Butchers' Linens, very destrable for summer waists, etc.; now selling at

Embroidery Silk, in all colors, per dozen pools, 5c.

J. M. C. Working Cotton, per dozen, 50.

Linen Bargains.

\$1.25 Linen Sheeting, 214 yards wide,

890 Turkey Red Table Linen, 2014c s ard. \$1,00 Table Linen, 73 inches wide, to s

regular \$1 quality, to close out Brainard & Armstrong's Embroidery Wash Silk, 2 skeins for 5c.

size 46x45, reduced to 700

te Linen Bobbins, Sc. 12 1-20 Stamped Linen Mats, Sc.

Wash Silk, 2 skeins for 50.

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mer at Tate Springs, in Tennessee.

Miss Kate Kegney has returned to Lynchburg, after a lengthy visit to Mrs. James Donahoe.

Miss M. Virginia Allen has returned to the city after a pleasant visit to Mr. J. O. Pitts's cottage, Willoughby Beach, also to friends and relatives in Norfolk and

Miss Nettie G. Moore, of Crewe, Va., is visiting her brother, Mr. E. H. Moore, at No. 411 South Laurel Street. music at Sharter College, Rome, Ga., has returned to his home in Tarboro, N. C., after a pleasant visit to his friend, Gas-ton Lichtenstein, at No. 1419 Grove Avenue.

Mrs. W. S. Quaries and children, of No. 913 West Marshall Street, have re-turned from a month's stay at Taylors-ville.

Mrs. W. S. Quaries will leave the city Monday morning for a week's stay in Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Mrs. John W. Massie is spending several days with relatives and friends in Rosnoke.

Miss Neille Strattan has returned home for a month, and will then so to Niagara Falls. Miss Nellie Taylor of No. 239 South Laurel Street, has Just returned to the city from an enjoyable visit to relatives in North and South Carolina.

Mrs. N. D. Wilkinson, of North Twenty-seventh Street, left last Monday on an extended Northern trip, to visit Phila-delphia, New York, Atlantic City and Baltimore.

Miss Gertrude Kennedy returned Friday from a six weeks visit in Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. W. H. Thompson and her little daughter, Lucille, have returned from a delightful trip to New Haven, New York and Philadelphia, They were accompa-

TWO TRAINS TO LYNCHBURG, VIA
C.A. C., JAMES RIVER LINE,
Pullman Seeper to Lynchburg, Natural
Bridge Station and Clifton Ferge,
Chesapeake and Ohio train leaving Richmond at 5:15 P. M., daily except Sunday,
via James River Line, carries through
sleeper, to Lynchburg, Natural Bridge
and Clifton Forge arriving Lynchburg
10:36 P. M., Natural Bridge 7:10 A. M.,
and Clifton Forge 3 A. M. Returning,
sleeper will arrive Richmond 5:40 A. M.,
daily except Sunday, Sleeper open for
occupancy at Lynchburg F:30 P. M.
Dally train leaves Richmond for Lynchburg and Natural Bridge at 10:30 A. M.,
with parlor cer.

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nied by Miss Goldie Smith, of Stafford,

Misses Maggie and Emma Jones, who have been visiting at the White Sulphur Springs, have returned home accompanied by Miss Mary East. Mrs. Wister Archer, and family

returned to the city, having spent a de-lightful summer at Blue Ridge Springs, and at "The Heights." Little Miss Adelle Turman, who en spending some time with her father, r. A. E. Turman in the city, and rela-ves in Goothland, will leave shortly for

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Milton Rutledge of Louisville, Ky., who have been at Hot Springs, accompanied by Mrs. Rutledge's mother, Mrs. Winston, are now at the University of Virginia. Mrs. Rutledge, as Miss Rosalie Winston, is well remembered by her Richmond friends.

Mrs. M. H. Cmohundro and daughters, of No. 2003 Floyd Avenue, who have been spending the summer in Roanoke. Va., and yielnity, are now yisting Mrs. S. E. Beale, of Scottsville.

PRESBYTERIAN HOME. Montreat, the North Carolina

Estate of Huyler, Purchased,

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Aug. 25.—(Special)

J. D. Surphy has returned from Montreat,

N. C., where he has closed the deal by which
the large tract of land known as Montreat
has become the property of five hundred
presbyterians, and will become a summer
resort for Southerners of that sect.

Soveral years ago, John S. Huyler, the
Now York millionaire candy-maker, acquired a large tract of land there and apent
thousands in improving it till a more beautiful spot would be hard to find. His desire
had been from the first to make it a resort
for Presbyterians, and with this aim be
offered il for sais in five hundred lots, such
lot to cost \$100, but only Presbyterials
by each person. By selling on these terms
he made no profit, barely reimbursing him
self for the actual money expended.

After two years nearly, of negotiations,
the deal was closed and the lots were son
them. It is proposed to make the place a
beautiful religious summer resort, similar
to Lake Winons, Ind. and a Chatauqua will
probably by one of the attractions. Estate of Huyler, Purchased.

BLACKSTONE BUILDING.

Public and Private Contracts to a Large Amount.

R Large Amount.

(Special to The Times-Disputch.)

BLACKSTONE, VA., August 25.—Work has been commenced on the new hotel to be built by C. T. Ripberger, on Main Street, just across the street from the postoffice. This is to be a handsome three-story brick building, with all of the most modern and up-to-date advantages and fixtures. There will be a storerom on the ground floor Toxico feet. Then there is to be run in connection with the storerom and hotel a bakery and restaus

210 field Color Linen, blue, tan, green and gray, 140 yard.

Best quality Amoskeag Apron Ging-hams, 6c.

Best grade Calloos for 4 1-2c. rant. It is expected and hoped that

moved back to the rear of the lot upon

The present building, owned and used

The two new banks which have been established in this community during the past six months have recently mide very gratifying reports—the People's Bank, of Blackstone, and the Bank of Lunenburg, at Tinkling, in Lunenburg county. Both of the institutions show a rapid increase in their business, there being much more money on deposit and much more, accordingly, out at interest than when they made their last report.

Dora—"Never tell Flora any secrets." Cora—"Can't she keep them?". Dora— "Keep them? Why that girl tells people her right age!"—Cloveland Leader.

Manicure, 500

– MANICURE –

PARLOR 215 W. Broad (over P. O. Sta. "A") EXPERT ATTENDANTS. Ladies and Gentlemen First-Cla

Convenience

You'll find it easy to buy of us. The greater part of our fall stock is now in; no waiting till next week. The chances are a thousand to one that we've got the right thing to suit

Security

We guarantee all our goods the best for the money, and we live up to that guarantee.

Promptness

When you give us an order it is attended to promptly and properly, makes no difference whether it's a 59c rocker or a \$500 bed-room suite.

If you're not already one among our many thousands of customers you'll DO YOURSELF a great injustice not to get our prices and see our goods before buying. Yours for furniture, carpets and drugggets,



We've got quite a number of odd Dressers, Chiffonniers, Wardrober, Druggets, &c., &c. They's patterns we want to drop, and we'll be giad to give you an extra liscount to make us a little more room.

Work is also being done on the new \$10,000 brick High Schoool building here,

you RIGHT NOW at the right price.